



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant: Volkmar WEHNER et al.

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Examiner: S. Wright

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Title: **BIS(TRIFLUOROMETHYL)HYDANTOINS AS
INTERMEDIATES FOR PHARMACEUTICALLY ACTIVE
INGREDIENTS**

Amendment and Reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
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Sir:

This is a Response to the Office Action mailed February 28, 2003, for the above-captioned application. Applicants hereby request a three month extension of time for responding to the Office Action, thereby extending the date for response to August 28, 2003. Please charge the fee for the extension of time, and any additional fees that may be due for filing this response, to Deposit Account No. 08-1641.

Please amend the Application as set forth below.